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Re: **U.S. Patent Application of Davis et al.** **Group 1653**
U.S. Serial No. 09/869,925
Filed: July 9, 2001
For: COLCHINOL DERIVATIVES AS VASCULAR
DAMAGING AGENTS **Examiner: Lukton, David**

Comments The attached Supplemental Preliminary Amendment is being filed via facsimile per telephone request from Examiner Lukton.

Respectfully submitted,
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Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

1. Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Preliminary Amendment.

2. Additional papers enclosed:

- Information Disclosure Statement
- Form PTO-1449 (9 pages)
- Copies of cited references
- Submission of Revocation of Original Power of Attorney and Grant of New Power of Attorney with executed Executed Revocation of Power of Attorney and Grant of New Power of Attorney

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3. Extension of Time

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Extension</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	410.00	205.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	930.00	465.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	1,450.00	725.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	1,970.00	985.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$0.00

4. Constructive Petition

EXCEPT for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Director is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

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5. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

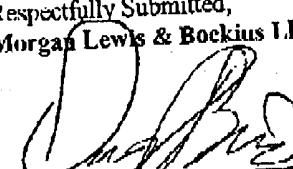
CLAIMS AS AMENDED		Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	13	minus	20	0	x \$18.00 each=	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	1	minus	3	0	x \$84 each=	\$ 0.00
SUB-TOTAL -						\$ 0.00
Fee for 1 Month Extension of Time						\$ 0.00
Fee for Information Disclosure Statement						\$ 0.00
Reduction by 1/4 for filing by a small entity						\$ 0.00
TOTAL FEE -						

6. Fee Payment

No fee is to be paid at this time.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.

Respectfully Submitted,
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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Supplemental to the Preliminary Amendment included with the Response to
Restriction Requirement filed September 8, 2003, please further preliminarily amend the
claims as follows, prior to taking up this application for a first action on the merits: